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DATA COMMUNICATION SIGNALS TO A RESIDENTIAL  
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Honorable Assistant Commissioner:

Applicants' attorneys performed a patent search with regard to the present invention. Applicants have identified all materials that they are aware of which may be either prior art to the invention or that may be relevant to the background of the invention. All such materials known to Applicants and Applicants' attorneys are identified on the PTO-1449 attached hereto. A copy of all such materials will be submitted after receipt of the filing receipt and after clean copies of the patents are available. Applicants believed their invention is patentable over these materials.

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